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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed foreign patent documents are also enclosed.

All of the listed documents were cited in the International Search Report (ISR)(copy enclosed) that issued on June 20, 2005 in the international application PCT/EP2005/003119. A copy of an English-language translation of the ISR is also enclosed.

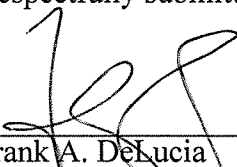
WO 00/54557 was cited in the International Preliminary Report on Patentability (IPRP)(copy enclosed) that issued on March 14, 2006 in the international application PCT/EP2005/003119. A copy of the English-language translation of the IPRP is also enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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